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Dated as of November 1, 1968

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LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

and

PENN CENTRAL COMPANY

AGREEMENT AND ASSIGNMENT
Dated as of November 1, 1968

between

LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION

and

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, as Agent

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CONDITIONAL SALE AGREEMENT dated as of November 1, 1968 among LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION (hereinafter called the Vendor or Seller as more particularly set forth in Article 27 hereof), NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a Massachusetts corporation (hereinafter together called the Vendee) and PENN CENTRAL COMPANY, a Pennsylvania corporation (hereinafter sometimes called the Guarantor).

WHEREAS, the Seller has agreed to sell and deliver to the Vendee, and the Vendee has agreed to purchase, the railroad equipment described in Annex A hereto (hereinafter called the Equipment); and

WHEREAS, the Vendee is executing a lease of the Equipment as of the date hereof to Penn Central Company, as lessee (hereinafter, in such capacity, sometimes called the Lessee), in substantially the form annexed hereto as Annex B (hereinafter called the Lease) and the Guarantor is willing to guarantee to the Vendor the due and punctual payment of certain sums payable by, and the due and punctual performance of all other obligations of, the Vendee under this Agreement and has joined in this Agreement for the purpose of setting forth the terms and conditions of such guaranty and making certain further agreements as hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual promises, covenants and agreements hereinafter set forth, the parties hereto do hereby agree as follows:

Article 1. Construction and Sale. Pursuant to this Agreement, the Seller will sell and deliver the Equipment to the Vendee and the Vendee will purchase from the Seller and accept delivery of and pay for (as hereinafter provided) the Equipment. The design, quality and component parts of the Equipment will conform to all Department of Transportation requirements and specifications reasonably interpreted as being applicable to railroad equipment of the character of the Equipment as of the date of this Agreement.

Article 2. <u>Delivery</u>. The Seller will deliver the Equipment to the Vendee, at the point specified in, and in accordance with, the delivery schedule set forth in Annex A hereto.

Any Equipment not delivered, and accepted pursuant to Article 3 hereof on or before December 31, 1968 (unless such date

is extended by the Vendee and the Vendor by appropriate written agreement), shall be excluded from this Agreement and not included in the term "Equipment" as used in this Agreement. In the event of any such exclusion the Vendor, the Vendee and the Guarantor shall execute an agreement supplemental hereto limiting this Agreement to the Equipment theretofore delivered, accepted and settled for hereunder and a separate agreement shall be entered into between the Seller and the Guarantor providing for the purchase of such excluded Equipment by the Guarantor on the terms herein specified, payment to be made in cash on delivery of such Equipment either directly or by means of a conditional sale, equipment trust or such other appropriate method of financing the purchase as the Guarantor and the Seller shall determine.

The Equipment shall be subject to inspection and approval prior to delivery by inspectors or other authorized representatives of the Vendee (who may be employees of the Guarantor). From time to time upon the completion of the construction and testing of each unit or of a number of units of the Equipment, such unit or units shall be presented to such inspector or other authorized representative of the Vendee for inspection and if each such unit conforms to the Specifications, such inspector or representative shall execute and deliver to the Seller, in such number of counterparts or copies as may reasonably be requested, a certificate of acceptance (hereinafter called the Certificate of Acceptance) stating that such unit or units have been inspected and accepted on behalf of the Vendee and are marked in accordance with the provisions of Article 9 hereof.

On acceptance of each of the units of Equipment hereunder on behalf of the Vendee as aforesaid, the Vendee assumes with respect thereto the responsibility and risk of loss.

Article 3. Purchase Price and Payment. The base price per unit of the Equipment is set forth in Annex A hereto. The base price is subject to such increase or decrease as is agreed to by the Seller, the Vendee and the Guarantor. The term "Purchase Price" as used herein shall mean the base price as so increased or decreased. If on the Closing Date (as hereinafter defined) the aggregate of the Invoiced Purchase Prices (as hereinafter defined in this Article 3) for which settlement is then being made would, but for the provisions of this sentence, exceed \$5,065,134, the Seller (and any assignee of the Seller) and the Guarantor will, upon request of the Vendee, enter into an agreement excluding from this Agreement such unit or units of Equipment then proposed to be settled for, specified by the Vendee, as will reduce such aggregate Invoiced Purchase Price to not more

than \$5,065,134, and the Guarantor agrees to purchase any such unit or units so excluded from the Agreement from the Seller for cash on the date such unit or units would otherwise have been settled for under this Agreement.

Settlement for the Equipment shall take place on such date as may be designated by written notice from the Seller to the Vendee; the Equipment to be settled for on such date to consist of all the Equipment for which invoices and Certificates of Acceptance have been presented by the Seller to the Vendee at least five business days prior to such date (or such lesser number of days as may be agreed to by the Vendee). The Seller shall give telephone or telegraphic notice (confirmed by writing) to the Vendee and any assignee of the Seller of the date for settlement for the units of the Equipment (herein called the Closing Date) describing the Equipment to be settled for and the Purchase Price thereof not less than five business days prior to the Closing Date designated therein. The term "business days" as used herein means calendar days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

The Vendee hereby acknowledges itself to be indebted to the Vendor in the amount of, and hereby promises to pay in cash to the Vendor at such place as the Vendor may designate, the Purchase Price of the Equipment, as follows:

- (a) On the Closing Date an amount equal to 27.54671% of the Purchase Price of the Equipment plus the amount by which 72.45329% of the Purchase Price of the Equipment exceeds \$3,669,855.98, and
- (b) In 20 semiannual installments, as hereinafter provided, an amount equal to 72.45329% of the Purchase Price of the Equipment or \$3,669,855.98, whichever is less (herein called the Conditional Sale Indebtedness).

If this Agreement shall have been assigned by the Seller, the obligation of the Vendee under subparagraph (a) of the preceding paragraph of this Article 3 shall be an unsecured obligation and the Seller shall not have any lien on or security interest in or claim against the Equipment or any part thereof with respect to such obligation.

The first installment of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness shall be payable on January 1, 1974 and subsequent installments shall be payable semiannually there-

after on each July 1 and January 1 to and including July 1, 1983 (or if any such date is not a business day on the next succeeding business day), each such date being hereinafter called a Payment Date. The unpaid balance of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness shall bear interest from the earlier of the Closing Date or the Average Date of Delivery at the rate of 7-3/8% per annum and such interest shall be payable, to the extent accrued, on each January 1 and July 1, commencing January 1, 1969. The Average Date of Delivery shall be calculated and mutually agreed to by the Vendor and the Vendee by: (a) calculating the number of unit-days for each Certificate of Acceptance (i.e. the number of units accepted times the number of days from and including the date of each Certificate of Acceptance through and including the date of the last Certificate of Acceptance); (b) adding the results in (a) for all Certificates of Acceptance to determine the aggregate number of unit-days; and (c) dividing such aggregate by the total number of units accepted. The result, which when rounded to the next highest whole number, will be the number of days to be used in counting back from and including the date of the last Certificate of Acceptance to determine the day upon which the Average Date of Delivery occurred. The Vendee shall certify to the Vendor the Average Date of Delivery so calculated in writing at least three business days prior to the Closing Date. The principal amount of Conditional Sale Indebtedness payable on each of the 20 semiannual Payment Dates shall be calculated on such a basis that the aggregate of the principal and interest payable on each Payment Date shall be substantially equal and such 20 installments of principal and interest will completely amortize the Conditional Sale Indebtedness. The Vendee will furnish to the Vendor and the Guarantor at the Closing Date a schedule showing the respective amounts of principal and interest payable on each Payment Date.

Interest under this Agreement shall be determined on the basis of a 360-day year of twelve 30-day months.

The Vendee will pay interest at the rate of 8% per annum upon all amounts remaining unpaid after the same shall have become due and payable pursuant to the terms hereof, anything herein to the contrary notwithstanding.

All payments provided for in this Agreement shall be made in such coin or currency of the United States of America as at the time of payment shall be legal tender for the payment of public and private debts. Except as provided in Article 5 hereof, the Vendee shall not have the privilege of

prepaying any of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness prior to the date it becomes due.

The parties hereto contemplate (subject to the limitations set forth in the first paragraph of this Article 3) that the Vendee will furnish that portion of the Purchase Price for the Equipment as is required under subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of this Article 3 and that an amount equal to the balance of such Purchase Price shall be paid to the Seller by an assignee of the Seller's right, title and interest under this Agreement pursuant to an Agreement and Assignment in the form annexed hereto between the Seller and New England Merchants National Bank of Boston, as Agent (such Agreement and Assignment being hereinafter called the Assignee).

It is agreed that the obligation of the Vendee to pay to the Seller any amount required to be paid pursuant to the third paragraph of this Article 3 with respect to the Equipment is specifically subject to the following conditions:

- (a) The Assignee shall concurrently pay or cause to be paid to the Seller the amounts contemplated to be paid by it as provided in the preceding paragraph of this Article 3 and in Section 5 of the Assignment and the documents required by Section 5 of the Assignment shall have been delivered; and
- (b) no event of default of the Guarantor specified herein or of the Lessee under the Lease or any event which with the lapse of time and/or notice provided for herein or in the Lease would constitute such an event of default shall have occurred and be continuing.

Notwithstanding any other provisions of this Agreement, it is understood and agreed by the Vendor that liability of the Vendee for all payments to be made by it under and pursuant to this Agreement, with the exception only of the payments to be made pursuant to subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of Article 3 hereof, shall not exceed an amount equal to the income and proceeds from the Equipment. As used herein the term "income and proceeds from the Equipment" shall mean, if one of the events of default specified in Article 17 hereof shall have occurred and while it shall be continuing, so much of the following amounts as are

indefeasibly received by the Vendee at any time after such event and during the continuance thereof: (x) all amounts of rental and amounts in respect of Casualty Occurrences paid for or with respect to the Equipment pursuant to the Lease, and (y) any and all payments or proceeds received by the Vendee for or with respect to the Equipment as the result of the sale, lease or other disposition thereof and after deducting all costs and expenses of such sale, lease or other disposition and shall mean at any other time only that portion of the amounts referred to in the foregoing clauses (x) and (y) as are indefeasibly received by the Vendee and as shall equal the portion of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness and/or interest thereon. It is understood that "income and proceeds from the Equipment' shall in no event include amounts referred to in the foregoing clauses (x) and (y) which were received by the Vendee prior to the existence of such an event of default and which exceeded the amounts required to discharge that portion of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness with interest thereon. It is further specifically understood and agreed that nothing contained herein limiting the liability of the Vendee shall derogate from the right of the Vendor to proceed against the Equipment or the Guarantor as provided for herein for the full unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment and interest thereon, and all other amounts payable to the Vendor hereunder. The Vendor agrees, however, that in the event it shall obtain a judgment against the Vendee for an amount in excess of the amounts payable by the Vendee pursuant to the limitations set forth in this paragraph, it will, accordingly, limit its execution of such judgment to such amount.

Article 4. <u>Title to the Equipment</u>. The Vendor shall and hereby does retain the full legal title to and property in the Equipment until the Vendee shall have made all of the payments hereunder and shall have kept and performed all its agreements herein contained, notwithstanding the delivery of the Equipment to and the possession and use thereof by the Vendee or the Guarantor as herein provided.

Except as otherwise specifically provided in Article 5 hereof, when and only when the Vendor shall have been paid the full amount of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness, together with interest and all other payments as herein provided, and all the Vendee's obligations herein contained shall have been performed, absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee without further transfer or action on the part of the Vendor, except that the Vendor, if requested by the Vendee, will execute appropriate instruments confirming such passage to the Vendee of title to and property in the Equipment free of all liens, security interests and

other encumbrances created or retained hereby and deliver such instruments to the Vendee at its address specified in Article 23 hereof, and will execute in the same manner and deliver at the same place, for filing, recording or depositing in all necessary public offices such instrument or instruments in writing as may be necessary or appropriate in order then to make clear upon the public records the title of the Vendee to the Equipment, and will pay to the Vendee any money paid to the Vendor pursuant to Article 5 hereof and not theretofore applied as therein provided.

The Vendee hereby waives and releases any and all rights existing or that may be acquired in or to the payment of any penalty, forfeit or damages for failure to execute and deliver such instruments or to file any certificate of payment in compliance with any law or statute requiring the filing of the same, except for failure to execute and deliver such instruments or to file such certificate within a reasonable time after written demand of the Vendee.

Article 5 <u>Casualty Occurrence</u> and Insurance. In the event that any Equipment shall be or become worn out, lost, stolen, destroyed or, in the opinion of the Lessee, irreparably damaged from any cause whatsoever or taken or requisitioned by condemnation or otherwise (such occurrences being herein called Casualty Occurrences), the Vendee shall, within 30 days after it shall have determined that such equipment has suffered a Casualty Occurrence cause the Vendor to be fully informed in writing in regard thereto, including in such information a statement of the causes or reasons for such Casualty Occurrence. On the next succeeding January 1, or July 1, whichever is the earlier, the Vendee shall pay to the Vendor a sum equal to the Casualty Value (as hereinafter defined) of such Equipment suffering a Casualty Occurrence as of the date of such payment and shall file with the Vendor a certificate setting forth the determination of the Casualty Value of such unit.

Upon payment by the Vendee to the Vendor of the Casualty Value of any Equipment having suffered a Casualty Occurrence, absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in such unit shall pass to and vest in the Vendee without further transfer or action on the part of the Vendor, except that the Vendor, if requested by the Vendee, will execute and deliver to the Vendee, at the expense of the Vendee, an appropriate instrument confirming such passage to the Vendee of title to and property in such Equipment, in recordable form, in order that the Vendee may make clear upon the public records the title of the Vendee thereto.

The Casualty Value of the Equipment shall be deemed to be that portion of the original Purchase Price of the unit or units suffering a Casualty Occurrence thereof remaining unpaid on the date on which such Casualty Value is required to be paid. For the purposes of this paragraph each payment of the Purchase Price in respect of a unit of Equipment made pursuant to Article 3 hereof shall be deemed to be a payment on each unit of the Equipment in like proportion as the original Purchase Price of such unit of Equipment bears to the aggregate original Purchase Price of all units of Equipment.

Any money paid to the Vendor as hereinabove provided in this Article 5 shall, so long as no default shall have occurred and be continuing hereunder, be applied to the <u>pro rata</u> prepayment on the next succeeding January 1, or July 1, whichever is the earlier, of each installment of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness remaining unpaid (in proportion to the principal amount of Conditional Sale Indebtedness represented by each such installment). The Vendee will promptly furnish to the Vendor a revised schedule of payments of principal and interest thereafter to be made to be calculated in the manner set forth in the fifth paragraph of Article 3 hereof. The Vendee will also pay to the Vendor on the date payment is required to be made of the Casualty Value, all interest accrued and unpaid on any Conditional Sale Indebtedness to be prepaid.

If an Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing hereunder, all money held by the Vendor pursuant to this Article 5 shall be applied by the Vendor as if such money were received upon the sale of Equipment pursuant to Article 18 hereof.

Although the Guarantor shall not be required to maintain insurance on any unit of the Equipment, the Guarantor agrees that the benefits of any insurance maintained by it upon the units will be made available to the Vendor and the Vendee as their interests may appear, to the extent the Guarantor is permitted to do so under such policies of insurance.

Article 6. Obligations of Guarantor. The Guarantor for value received hereby unconditionally guarantees to the Vendor by endorsement (through its execution hereof) the due and punctual payment of that portion of the Purchase Price of the Equipment payable pursuant to subparagraph (b) of the third paragraph of Article 3 hereof and interest thereon and the due and punctual performance of all other obligations of the Vendee and the due and punctual payment of any and all sums payable by the Vendee under

this Agreement (except for the obligations of the Vendee and sums payable by the Vendee pursuant to subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of Article 3 hereof) when due, whether at stated maturity or by declaration or otherwise; and in case any such payments or obligations are not so made or performed the Guarantor agrees punctually to pay or perform the same irrespective of any enforcement against the Vendee of any of the rights of the Vendor hereunder.

The Guarantor hereby agrees that its obligations hereunder shall be unconditional (and shall not be subject to any defense, setoff, counterclaims or recoupment whatsoever) irrespective of the genuineness, validity, regularity or enforceability of this Agreement or any other circumstance which might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge of a surety or guarantor and irrespective of the last paragraph of Article 3 hereof or any other circumstances which might otherwise limit the recourse of the Vendor to the Vendee. The Guarantor hereby waives diligence, presentment, demand of payment, protest, any notice of any assignment hereof in whole or in part or of any default hereunder and all notices with respect to this Agreement and all demands whatsoever hereunder. No waiver by the Vendor of any of its rights hereunder and no action by the Vendor to enforce any of its rights hereunder or failure to take, or delay in taking, any such action shall affect the obligations of the Guarantor hereunder.

In the event that the Guarantor shall make any payments to the Vendor on account of its guaranty hereunder, the Guarantor hereby covenants and agrees that it shall not acquire any rights, by subrogation or otherwise, against the Vendee or with respect to any of the units of the Equipment by reason of such payments, all such rights being hereby irrevocably released, discharged and waived by the Guarantor; provided, however, that after the payment by the Guarantor to the Vendor of all sums payable under this Agreement, the Guarantor shall, by subrogation, be entitled to the rights of the Vendor against the Vendee by reason of such payment, to the extent, but only to the extent, that the Vendee has received income and proceeds from the Equipment (as defined in Article 3 hereof) and has not applied amounts equal to such income and proceeds to the payment, in accordance with this Agreement and subject to the limitations contained in said Article 3, of sums payable by the Vendee to the Vendor hereunder.

Article 7. Maintenance and Repairs; Operation. The Vendee agrees that, at its own cost and expense, it will maintain and keep all the Equipment in good order and repair. The Vendee agrees that during the period that any portion of the Conditional Sale Indebtedness in respect of any Group remains outstanding and unpaid, the Vendee will not assign or permit the assignment of any Equipment to service involving the regular operation and maintenance thereof outside the United States of America and that during such period any use of any Equipment outside the United States of America will be limited to incidental and temporary use in Canada or Mexico.

Article 8. Reports and Inspections. On or before March 1 in each year commencing with the year 1970 the Vendee will cause to be furnished to the Vendor an accurate statement as of the preceding January 1 (a) showing the amount, description and numbers of the Equipment then covered hereby, the amount and description of all the Equipment that may have suffered a Casualty Occurrence during the preceding 12 months (or since the date of delivery hereunder of the Equipment, in the case of the first such statement as to Casualty Occurrences), and such other information regarding the condition and state of repair of the Equipment as the Vendor may reasonably request and (b) stating that, in the case of all units of the Equipment repainted or repaired during the period covered by such statements, the markings required by Article 9 hereof have been preserved or replaced.

9. Identification Marks. The Vendee will cause each unit of Equipment to be kept numbered with its identifying number as set forth in Annex A hereto and will keep and maintain, plainly, distinctly, permanently and conspicuously marked on each such unit in letters not less than one inch in height, the words, "NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, AGENT-OWNER" or other appropriate words designated by the Vendor with appropriate changes thereof and additions thereto as from time to time may be required by law in order to protect the title of the Vendor to such unit and the rights of the Vendor under this Agreement. The Vendee will not permit any such unit to be placed in operation or exercise any control or dominion over the same until such names and word or words shall have been so marked thereon and will replace or cause to be replaced promptly any such names and word or words which may be removed, defaced or destroyed. The Vendee will not permit the identifying number of any such unit of Equipment to be changed except in accordance with a statement of new identifying numbers to be substituted therefor, which statement previously shall have been filed with the Vendor and filed, recorded or deposited in all public offices where this Agreement will have been filed, recorded or deposited.

Except as above provided, the Vendee will not allow the name of any person, association or corporation to be placed on any Equipment as a designation that might be interpreted as a claim of ownership; provided, however, that the Vendee may cause the Equipment to be lettered with the names or initials or other insignia customarily used by the Vendee or the Guarantor or its affiliates on railroad equipment used by it of the same or similar type for convenience of identification of the interests of the Vendee and the Guarantor therein.

Article 10. Taxes. All payments to be made by the Vendee here-under will be free of expense to the Vendor for collection or other charges and will be free of expense to the Vendor with respect to the amount of any local, state or federal or Canadian (Dominion or Provincial) taxes (other than net income, gross receipts (except gross receipts in the nature of or

in lieu of sales taxes), excess profits and similar taxes) licenses, charges, fines or penalties hereafter levied or imposed upon, or in connection with, or measured by, this Agreement or any sale, use, payment, shipment, delivery or transfer of title under the terms hereof, all of which expenses, taxes, licenses, charges and penalties the Vendee assumes and agrees to pay on demand in addition to the Purchase Price of the Equipment. The Vendee will also pay promptly all taxes, assessments, license fees, charges, fines or penalties (hereinafter called "impositions") which may be imposed upon the Equipment or for the use or operation thereof or upon the earnings arising therefrom or upon the Vendor solely by reason of its ownership thereof and will keep at all times all and every part of the Equipment free and clear of all impositions which might in any way affect the title of the Vendor or result in a lien upon any Equipment; provided, however, that the Vendee shall be under no obligation to pay any impositions of any kind so long as it is contesting in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings such impositions and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Vendor hereunder. If any impositions shall have been charged or levied against the Vendor directly and paid by the Vendor, the Vendee shall reimburse the Vendor on presentation of an invoice therefor.

Article 11. Compliance with Laws and Rules. During the term of this Agreement, the Vendee will comply and will cause any lessee of the Equipment to comply in all respects with all laws of the jurisdictions in which operations involving the Equipment may extend, with the Interchange Rules of the Association of American Railroads, if applicable, and with all lawful rules of the Department of Transportation and any other legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the Equipment to the extent that such laws and rules affect the operation or use of the Equipment. In the event that such laws or rules require the alteration of the Equipment, or in case any Equipment or appliance on the Equipment shall be required to be changed or replaced, or in case any additional or other Equipment or appliance is required to be installed on the Equipment in order to comply with such laws, regulations, requirements and rules, the Vendee agrees to make such alterations, changes, additions and replacements at its own expense and the Vendee will use, maintain and operate the Equipment in full compliance with such laws, regulations, requirements and rules so long as it is subject to this Agreement; provided, however, that the Vendee may, in good faith, contest the validity or application of any such law or rule in any reasonable manner which does not, in the opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Vendor hereunder.

Article 12. <u>Possession and Use</u>. The Vendee, so long as it shall not be in default under this Agreement, shall be entitled from and after delivery of the Equipment by the Seller to the Vendee to the possession of the Equipment and the use thereof but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement.

The Vendee may lease the Equipment to the Lessee or its assigns as permitted by, and for use as provided in, the Lease, provided, however, and the Lessee hereby acknowledges, that if and only if the Lessee shall be in default under the Lease, or in its capacity as Guarantor, in default here-

under, the rights of the Lessee and its permitted assigns under the Lease shall be subordinated and junior in rank to the rights and shall be subject to the remedies of the Vendor under this Agreement; but, so long as the Lessee shall not be in default under the Lease or, in its capacity as Guarantor, in default hereunder, it shall be entitled to possession of the Equipment. The Vendee hereby agrees that it will not exercise any of the remedies provided in the case of an Event of Default under and as defined in the Lease unless it shall notify the Vendor in writing of its intended exercise thereof and hereby further agrees to furnish to the Vendor copies of all summonses, writs, processes and other documents served by it upon the Lessee or served by the Lessee upon it in connection therewith.

So long as no Event of Default shall have occurred and be continuing hereunder, the Vendee shall be entitled to the possession of the Equipment and the Equipment may be used upon the lines of railroad owned or operated by the Lessee (or any other railroad company approved by the Vendor) or upon lines of railroad over which the Lessee has trackage or other operating rights or over which railroad equipment of the Lessee is regularly operated pursuant to contract, trackage or other operating rights and the Equipment may be used upon other railroads in the usual interchange of traffic (if such interchange is customary at the time), but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Vendee may also lease the Equipment to any other railroad company with the prior written consent of the Vendor, provided that the rights of such lessee are made expressly and unconditionally subordinate to the rights and remedies of the Vendor under this Agreement as herein provided.

Article 13. Prohibition Against Liens. The Vendee will pay or satisfy and cause to be duly discharged any and all sums claimed by any party by, through or under the Vendee or its successors or assigns, which, if unpaid, might become a lien, charge or security interest or other encumbrance upon any Equipment including any accession thereto, equal or superior to the title of the Vendor thereto but the Vendee shall not be required to pay, satisfy or cause to be discharged any such claim so long as the the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings in any reasonable manner and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the opinion of the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Vendor in such Equipment.

This covenant will not be deemed breached by reason of liens for taxes, assessments or governmental charges or levies, in each case not due

and delinquent, or undetermined or inchoate materialmen's mechanics', workmen's, repairmen's or other like liens arising in the ordinary course of business and, in each case, not delinquent.

Article 14. Indemnities and Warranties. The Vendee agrees to indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Vendor from and against all losses, damages, injuries, liabilities, claims and demands whatsoever regardless of the cause thereof and expenses in connection therewith including counsel fees arising out of retention by the Vendor of title to the Equipment or out of the use and operation thereof during the period when title thereto remains in the Vendor; This covenant of indemnity shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of the indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price and the conveyance of the Equipment, as provided in Article 4 hereof, or the termination of this Agreement in any manner whatsoever.

Except as provided in Article 5 hereof, the Vendee will bear the risk of, and shall not be released from its obligations hereunder in the event of a Casualty Occurrence after delivery to and acceptance thereof by the Vendee hereunder.

The Seller hereby assigns to the Vendee all and each of those warranties and indemnities of the builder of the various units of the Equipment as to material, workmanship and patent indemnification which such builder has given or will give to the Seller upon the Seller's purchase of the various units of the Equipment from said builder. Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, the Seller gives no warranties, express or implied, with respect to the Equipment, except as to its title to the Equipment.

The Seller agrees that neither the inspection as provided in Article 2 of this Agreement, nor any examination, nor the acceptance of any units of Equipment as provided in said Article 2 shall be deemed a waiver or a modification by the Vendee of any of its rights under this Article 14.

Article 15. Patent Indemnities. The Vendee will indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Vendor from and against any and all liability, claims, demands, costs, charges and expenses, including royalty payments and counsel fees, in any manner imposed upon or accruing against the Vendor because of the use in or about the construction or operation of the Equipment of any design, which infringes or is claimed to infringe on

any patent or other similar right. Said covenants of indemnity shall continue in full force and effect notwithstanding the full payment of all sums due hereunder, the satisfaction and discharge of this Agreement or the termination of this Agreement in any manner.

Article 16. Assignments. The Vendee will not sell, assign or transfer its rights under this Agreement or, except as provided in Article 12 hereof, transfer the right to possession of the Equipment; provided, however, that the Vendee may so sell, assign or transfer its rights under this Agreement and the possession of the Equipment if such sale, assignment or transfer is made expressly subject in all respects to the rights and remedies of the Vendor hereunder.

All or any of the rights, benefits and advantages of the Vendor under this Agreement, including the right to receive the payments herein provided to be made by the Vendee and the benefits arising from the undertakings of the Guarantor hereunder, may be assigned by the Vendor and reassigned by an assignee at any time or from time to time. No such assignment shall subject any assignee to, or relieve the Seller from, any of the obligations of the Seller to deliver the Equipment in accordance herewith or to respond to its agreements contained in this Agreement or relieve the Vendee or the Guarantor of their respective obligations to the Seller contained or referred to in Articles 1, 2, 3, 6, 10 and 15 hereof and the last paragraph of this Section 16 or any other obligation which, according to its terms and context is intended to survive an assignment.

Upon any such assignment either the assignor or the assignee shall give written notice to the Vendee and the Guarantor together with a counterpart or copy of such assignment stating the identity and post office address of the assignee and such assignee shall, by virtue of such assignment, acquire all of the Vendor's right, title and interest in and to the Equipment, or in and to a portion thereof, as the case may be, subject only to such reservations as may be contained in such assignment. From and after the receipt by the Vendee and the Guarantor, respectively, of the notification of any such assignment, all payments thereafter to be made by the Vendee or the Guarantor hereunder shall, to the extent so assigned, be made to the assignee at the address of the assignee specified in the aforesaid notice.

The Vendee and the Guarantor recognize that it is the custom of railroad equipment sellers to assign agreements of this character and understand that the assignment of this Agreement or of some or all of

the rights of the Vendor hereunder is contemplated. The Vendee and the Guarantor expressly represent, for the purpose of assurance to any person, firm or corporation considering the acquisition of this Agreement or of all or any of the rights of the Vendor hereunder, and for the purpose of inducing such acquisition, that in the event of such assignment by the Vendor as hereinbefore provided the rights of such assignee to the entire unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment or such part thereof as may be assigned, together with interest thereon, as well as any other rights hereunder which may be so assigned, shall not be subject to any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever arising out of any breach of any obligation of the Seller or the builder of the Equipment with respect to the Equipment or the delivery or assignment of warranty thereof, or with respect to any indemnity herein contained, nor subject to any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever arising by reason of any other indebtedness or liability at any time owing to the Vendee or the Guarantor by the Seller or the builder of the Equipment. Any and all such obligations howsoever arising shall be and remain enforceable by the Vendee or the Guarantor, as the case may be, against and only against the Seller or the builder of the Equipment.

In the event of any such assignment or successive assignments by the Vendor of title to the Equipment and of the Vendor's rights hereunder with respect thereto, the Vendee will, whenever requested by such assignee, change the names and word or words to be marked on each unit of railroad rolling stock included in the Equipment pursuant to the Equipment with such names and word or words as shall be specified by such assignee, subject to the requirements of the laws of the jurisdictions in which the Equipment shall be operated relating to such names and word or words for use on equipment covered by conditional sale agreements with respect to railroad equipment.

The Vendee and the Guarantor will, in connection with settlement for the Equipment, deliver to the Assignee, at the time of delivery by the Vendee of notice fixing the Closing Date, all documents required by the terms of the Assignment to be delivered to the Assignee in connection with such settlement, in such number of counterparts as may reasonably be requested, except for any opinion of counsel for the Assignee.

If this Agreement shall have been assigned by the Seller and the Assignee shall not make payment to the Seller on the Closing Date of an amount equal to the Conditional Sale Indebtedness, the Seller will promptly notify the Vendee and the Guarantor of such event and, if such amount shall

not previously have been paid by the Assignee or the Vendee, the Guarantor will not later than 90 days after the Closing Date purchase or cause to be purchased any such unit from the Seller for cash, together with interest thereon from such Closing Date to the date of payment by the Guarantor at the prime rate of interest of leading New York City banks in effect at such Closing Date and title to any Equipment with respect to any such unpaid Conditional Sale Indebtedness shall be transferred to Guarantor or such party as Guarantor may designate.

Article 17. <u>Defaults</u>. In the event that any one or more of the following events of default shall occur and be continuing, to wit:

- (a) The Vendee shall fail to pay in full any sum payable by the Vendee when payment thereof shall be due her eunder and such default shall continue for five days; or
- (b) The Vendee or the Guarantor shall, for more than 30 days after the Vendor shall have demanded in writing performance thereof, fail or refuse to comply with any covenant, agreement, term or provision of this Agreement on its part to be kept and performed or to make provision satisfactory to the Vendor for such compliance; or
- (c) Any proceedings shall be commenced by or against the Vendee or the Guarantor for any relief under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or laws relating to the relief of debtors, readjustments of indebtedness, reorganizations, arrangements, compositions or extensions (other than a law which does not permit any readjustment of the indebtedness payable hereunder), and unless such proceedings shall have been discontinued, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Vendee or the Guarantor, as the case may be, under this Agreement shall not have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers appointed for the Vendee or the Guarantor or for the property of the Vendee or the Guarantor in connection with any such proceedings or otherwise given the same status as obligations incurred by such a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 60 days after such proceedings shall have been commenced, whichever shall be earlier; or

- (d) A petition for reorganization under Section 77 of the Bankruptcy Act, as now constituted or as said Section 77 may be hereafter amended, shall be filed by or against the Guarantor and, unless such petition shall have been dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Guarantor under this Agreement shall not have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees appointed in such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such trustee or trustees, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 60 days after such petition shall have been filed, whichever shall be earlier; or
- (e) The Vendee shall make or suffer any unauthorized assignment or transfer of this Agreement or any interest herein or any unauthorized transfer of the right to possession of any unit of the Equipment;

then at any time after the occurrence of such an event of default the Vendor may, upon written notice to the Vendee and the Guarantor and upon compliance with any legal requirements then in force and applicable to such action by the Vendor, (i) subject to the rights of the Lessee referred to in Article 12 hereof, cause the Lease immediately upon such notice to terminate (and the Vendee and the Guarantor each acknowledge the right of the Vendor to terminate the Lease) and/or (ii) declare (hereinafter called a Declaration of Default) the entire unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment, together with the interest thereon then accrued and unpaid, immediately due and payable, without further demand, and thereafter the aggregate of the unpaid balance of such Purchase Price and such interest shall bear interest from the date of such declaration at the rate of 8% per annum and the Vendor shall thereupon be entitled to recover judgment for the entire unpaid balance of the Purchase Price of the Equipment so payable, with interest as aforesaid, and to collect such judgment out of any property of the Vendee (subject to the provisions of the last paragraph of Article 3 hereof) or the Guarantor wherever situated.

The Vendor may waive any such event of default and its consequences and rescind any Declaration of Default or notice of termination of the Lease by notice to the Vendee and the Guarantor in

writing to that effect, and thereupon the respective rights of the parties shall be as they would have been if no such default had existed and no Declaration of Default or notice of termination of the Lease had been made. Notwithstanding the provisions of this paragraph, it is expressly understood and agreed by the Vendee and the Guarantor that time is of the essence of this Agreement and that no such waiver or rescission shall extend to or affect any other or subsequent default or impair any rights or remedies consequent thereon.

Article 18. Remedies. At any time during a Declaration of Default, the Vendor may, upon such further notice, if any, as may be required for compliance with any mandatory requirements of law then in force and applicable to the action to be taken by the Vendor (subject to the rights of the Lessee under the Lease referred to in Article 12 hereof) take or cause to be taken by its agent or agents immediate possession of the Equipment, or any unit thereof, without liability to return to the Vendee or the Guarantor any sums theretofore paid and free from all claims whatsoever, except as hereinafter in this Article 18 expressly provided, and may remove the same from possession and use of the Vendee or anyone having such possession and use and for such purpose may enter upon the premises of the Vendee or the Guarantor or where the Equipment may be located and may use and employ in connection with such removal any supplies, services and aids and any available trackage and other facilities or means of the Vendee or the Guarantor, with or without process of law.

In case the Vendor shall rightfully demand possession of the Equipment in pursuance of this Agreement and shall reasonably designate a point or points upon the lines of the Guarantor for the delivery of the Equipment to the Vendor, the Guarantor shall, at its own expense, forthwith and in the usual manner, cause the Equipment to be moved to such point or points as shall be reasonably designated by the Vendor and shall there deliver the Equipment or cause it to be delivered to the Vendor. At the option of the Vendor, the Vendor may keep the Equipment on any of the lines of railroad or premises of the Guarantor until the Vendor shall have leased, sold or otherwise disposed of the same. For such purposes the Guarantor agrees to furnish, without charge for rent or storage, the necessary facilities at any reasonably convenient point or points selected by the Vendor. This agreement to deliver the Equipment as hereinbefore provided is of the essence of this Agreement between the parties, and, upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction

in the premises, the Vendor shall be entitled to a decree against the Vendee and/or the Guarantor requiring specific performance hereof; provided, however, if the Guarantor is in possession of the Equipment the Vendor shall be entitled to such a decree only against the Guarantor. The Vendee and the Guarantor hereby expressly waive any and all claims against the Vendor and its agent or agents for damages of whatever nature in connection with any retaking of any unit of the Equipment in any reasonable manner.

At any time during the continuance of a Declaration of Default, the Vendor (after retaking possession of the Equipment as hereinbefore in this Article 18 provided) may at its election and upon such notice as hereinafter set forth retain the Equipment in satisfaction of the entire indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment and make such disposition thereof as the Vendor shall deem fit. Written notice of the Vendor's election to retain the Equipment shall be given to the Vendee and the Guarantor by telegram or registered mail, addressed as provided in Article 23 hereof, and to any other persons to whom the law may require notice within 30 days after the entire indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment shall have been declared immediately due and payable. In the event that the Vendor should elect to retain the Equipment and no objection is made thereto within the 30-day period described in the second proviso below, all rights of the Vendee in the Equipment will thereupon terminate and all payments made by the Vendee or the Guarantor may be retained by the Vendor as compensation for the use of the Equipment; provided, however, that if the Vendee, before the expiration of the 30-day period described in the proviso below should pay or cause to be paid to the Vendor the total unpaid balance of the indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment, together with interest thereon accrued and unpaid and all other payments due under this Agreement, then in such event absolute right to the possession of, title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee; and provided, further, that if the Vendee or any other persons notified under the terms of this paragraph object in writing to the Vendor within 30 days from the receipt of notice of the Vendor's election to retain the Equipment, then the Vendor may not so retain the Equipment, but shall sell, lease or otherwise dispose of it or continue to hold it pending sale, lease or other disposition as hereinafter provided or as may otherwise be permitted by law.

At any time during the continuance of a declaration of default, the Vendor with or without the retaking of possession of the Equipment at its election and upon reasonable notice to the Vendee, the Guarantor and to any other persons to whom the law may require notice of the time and place, may sell the Equipment, or any unit thereof, free from any and all claims of the Vendee, or of any other party (including the Guarantor) claiming by, through or under the Vendee, at law or in equity, at public or private sale and with or without advertisement as the Vendor may determine; provided, however, that if prior to such sale or prior to the making of a contract for such sale, the Vendee should tender full payment of the entire indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment, together with interest thereon accrued and unpaid and all other payments due under this Agreement as well as expenses of the Vendor in retaking, holding and preparing the Equipment for disposition and arrangement for the sale and the Vendor's reasonable attorneys' fees, then in such event absolute right to the possession of title to and property in the Equipment shall pass to and vest in the Vendee. The proceeds of such sale, or of any lease or other disposition of the Equipment as provided hereunder, less the attorneys' fees and any other expenses incurred by the Vendor in taking possession of, removing, storing and so disposing of the Equipment, shall be credited on the amount due to the Vendor under the provisions of this Agreement.

Any sale hereunder may be held or conducted at such place or places and at such time or times as the Vendor may specify, in one lot and as an entirety, or in separate lots and without the necessity of gathering at the place of sale the property to be sold, and in general in such manner as the Vendor may determine, provided, that the Vendee and the Guarantor shall be given written notice of such sale as provided hereinabove. If such sale shall be a private sale, it shall be subject to the right of the Vendee and the Guarantor to purchase or provide a purchaser within ten days after notice of the proposed sale price, at the same price offered by the intending purchaser or at a better price. The Vendor may bid for and become the purchaser of the Equipment, or any unit thereof, so offered for sale without accountability to the Vendee or the Guarantor (except to the extent of surplus money received as hereinafter provided in this Article 18), and in payment of the purchase price therefor the Vendor shall be entitled to have credited on account thereof all sums due to the Vendor from the Vendee hereunder.

Each and every power and remedy hereby specifically given to the Vendor shall be in addition to every other power and remedy hereby specifically given or now or hereafter existing at law or in equity, and each and every power and remedy may be exercised from time to time and simultaneously and as often and in such order as may be deemed expedient by the Vendor, except as such exercise may expressly be limited herein. All such powers and remedies shall be cumulative, and the exercise of one shall not be deemed a waiver of the right to exercise any other or others, except as such exercise may expressly be limited herein. No delay, except where time limits are expressly herein provided, or omission of the Vendor in the exercise of any such power or remedy and no renewal or extension of any payments due hereunder shall impair any such power or remedy or shall be construed to be a waiver of any default or an acquiescence therein.

All sums of money realized by the Vendor under the remedies herein provided shall be applied, first to the payment of the expenses and liabilities of the Vendor herein undertaken to be paid, second to the payment of interest on the unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment accrued and unpaid and third to the payment of the unpaid Purchase Price of the Equipment. If, after applying as aforesaid all sums of money realized by the Vendor, there shall remain any amount due to it under the provisions of this Agreement, the Vendee, subject to the provisions of the last paragraph of Article 3 hereof, shall pay the amount of such deficiency to the Vendor upon demand, and, if the Vendee shall fail to pay the full deficiency, the Vendor may bring suit therefor and shall be entitled to recover a judgment therefor against the Vendee and the Guarantor. If, after applying as aforesaid all sums realized by the Vendor, there shall remain a surplus in the possession of the Vendor, such surplus shall be paid to the Vendee provided such application shall not be deemed to be a waiver of any right thereto against the Vendee which the Lessee may have under the Lease.

The Vendee, subject to the provisions of the last paragraph of Article 3 hereof, will pay all reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees, incurred by the Vendor in enforcing its remedies under the terms of this Agreement. In the event that the Vendor shall bring any suit to enforce any of its rights hereunder and shall be entitled to judgment, then in such suit the Vendor may recover reasonable expenses, including attorneys' fees and the amount thereof shall be included in such judgment.

The foregoing provisions of this Article 18 are subject in all respects to all mandatory requirements of law at the time in force and applicable thereto.

Article 19. Applicable State Laws. Any provision of this Agreement prohibited by any applicable law of any state shall as to such state be ineffective, without modifying the remaining provisions of this Agreement. Where, however, the conflicting provisions of any applicable state law may be waived, they are hereby waived by the Vendee and the Guarantor to the full extent permitted by law, to the end that this Agreement shall be deemed to be a conditional sale agreement and enforceable as such.

Except as otherwise provided in this Agreement, the Vendee and the Guarantor, to the full extent permitted by law, hereby waive all statutory or other legal requirements for any notice of any kind, notice of intention to take possession of or to sell the Equipment, or any unit thereof, and any other requirements as to the time, place and terms of sale thereof, any other requirements with respect to the enforcement of the Vendor's rights hereunder and any and all rights of redemption.

Article 20. Extension not a Waiver. Any extension of time for payment hereunder or other indulgence duly granted to the Vendee shall not otherwise alter or affect the Vendor's rights or the obligations of the Vendee or the Guarantor hereunder. The Vendor's acceptance of any payment after it shall have become due hereunder shall not be deemed to alter or affect the Vendee's or the Guarantor's obligations or the Vendor's rights hereunder with respect to any subsequent payments or defaults therein.

Article 21. Recording. The Vendee will cause this Agreement, the first assignment hereof and any supplements hereto and thereto to be filed, recorded or deposited and refiled, re-recorded or redeposited, with the Interstate Commerce Commission and otherwise as may be required by law or reasonably requested by the Vendor for the purpose of proper protection, to the satisfaction of counsel for the Vendor, of its title to the Equipment and its rights under this Agreement or for the purpose of carrying out the intention of this Agreement (including the execution and filing of all financing statements and continuation statements in respect of the spare parts, included in the Equipment); and the Vendee will promptly furnish to the Vendor evidences of such filing, recording or depositing, and an opinion or opinions of counsel for the Vendee with respect thereto, satisfactory to the Vendor.

Article 22. Payment of Expenses. The Vendee will pay all reasonable costs and expenses (other than the fees and expenses of counsel for the Seller) incident to the preparation and execution of this Agreement and the first assignment of this Agreement, or any instrument supplemental thereto, including all fees and expenses of special counsel for the first assignee of this Agreement and for any party acquiring interests in such first assignment. For the purposes of this Article 22, if the first assignee is an agent or trustee, then any successor thereto shall be considered the first assignee.

Article 23. Notices. Any notice hereunder to any of the parties designated below shall be deemed to be properly served if delivered or mailed to it at its chief place of business at the following specified addresses:

- (a) to the Vendee at 28 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02106:
- (b) to the Guarantor, at Six Penn Center Plaza, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104;
- (c) to the Seller, at One Wynnewood Road, Wynnewood, Pennsylvania 19096;
- (d) to any assignee of the Vendor, or of the Vendee, at such address as may have been furnished in writing to the Vendee, or the Vendor, as the case may be, and to the Guarantor, by such assignee;

or at such other address as may have been furnished in writing by such party to the other parties to this Agreement. The Vendee represents and warrants that its chief place of business is in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Article 24. Satisfaction of Undertakings. The obligations of the Vendee under Articles 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 21 and 22 hereunder shall be deemed in all respects satisfied by the Lessee's undertakings contained in \$8 4, 5, 7, 8, 11 and 15 of the Lease. The Guarantor shall be liable in respect of its guaranty hereunder for such obligations under said Articles whether or not the Lease is in effect. The Vendee shall not have any re-

sponsibility for the Lessee's failure to perform such undertakings, but if the same shall not be performed they may constitute the basis for an event of default hereunder pursuant to Article 17.

Article 25. Effect and Modification of Agreement. This Agreement, and the annexes relating hereto, exclusively and completely state the rights and agreements of the Vendor, the Vendee and the Guarantor with respect to the Equipment and supersede all other agreements, oral or written, with respect to the Equipment. No variation of this Agreement and no waiver of any of its provisions or conditions shall be valid unless in writing and duly executed on behalf of the Vendor, the Vendee and the Guarantor.

Article 26. Law Governing. The terms of this Agreement and all rights and obligations hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; provided, however, that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and such additional rights arising out of the filing, recording or depositing hereof and of any assignment hereof or of any financing statement or continuation statement as shall be conferred by the laws of the several jurisdictions in which this Agreement or any assignment hereof shall be filed, recorded or deposited.

Article 27. Definitions. The term "Vendor", whenever used in this Agreement, means, before any assignment of any of its rights hereunder, Lease Financing Corporation and any successor or successors for the time being to its properties and business, and, after any such assignment, both any assignee or assignees for the time being of such particular assigned rights as regards such rights, and also any assignor or assignors as regards any rights hereunder that are retained or excluded from any assignment; and the term "Seller", whenever used in this Agreement, means both before and after any such assignment, Lease Financing Corporation and any successor or successors for the time being to its properties and business.

Article 28. Execution. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and such counterparts together shall constitute but one and the same contract, which shall be sufficiently evidenced by any such original counterpart. Although this Agreement is dated as of November 1,

1968, for convenience the actual date or dates of execution hereof by the parties hereto is or are, respectively, the date or dates stated in the acknowledgments hereto annexed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this instrument to be executed in their respective corporate names by their officers thereunto duly authorized, and their respective corporate seals hereunto to be affixed and duly attested:

LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION

By Charles Maniwalker President

SEAL

Attest

Assistant Secretary

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION

By John J. Lelson

PENN CENTRAL COMPANY

Ву

Assistant Vice President

SEAL

Attest:

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS:

SUFFOLK

ss.

COUNTY OF

On this 10th day of November, 1968, before me personally appeared ROBERT J. SCHOEN to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of the said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission Expires: Wov. 29, 1969

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COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA:

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COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA

ber, 1968, before me personally appeared R. W. LODER to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is the Assistant Vice President of PENN CENTRAL COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of the said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

My Commission Expires:

SEAL

WILLIAM J. O'NEILE

Notary Public, Philadelphia, Philadelphia Co My Commission Expires June 26, 1972

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA:

ss.

COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this Sinday of November, 1968, before me personally appeared D. CHARLES MERRIWETHER, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is President of LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Morio & Berger

Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 5/25/70

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ANNEX A

Type	Quantity	Road Numbers (inclusive)	Unit Base Price	Total Base Price	Delivery
4 Motor, 4 Axle 3300 H.P. Model	20	2936 to 2955 inclusive	\$253, 256. 70	\$5,065,134	November - December 1968
No. U33B	•		•		Schenectady, New York
General Electric			•	•	,

Locomotives

AGREEMENT AND ASSIGNMENT

AGREEMENT AND ASSIGNMENT dated as of November 1, 1968, between LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION (hereinafter called the Seller), and NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, having offices at 28 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02106, acting as Agent under a Finance Agreement dated as of November 1, 1968, (hereinafter called the Finance Agreement), said Bank, so acting, being hereinafter called the Assignee.

WHEREAS, the Seller, NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a Massachusetts Corporation (hereinafter called the Vendee), and PENN CENTRAL COMPANY (hereinafter called the Guarantor), have entered into a Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of November 1, 1968 (hereinafter called the Conditional Sale Agreement), covering the sale and delivery, on the conditions therein set forth, by the Seller and the purchase by the Vendee of the railroad equipment described in Annex A to the Conditional Sale Agreement (said equipment being hereinafter called the Equipment);

NOW, THEREFORE, THIS AGREEMENT AND ASSIGNMENT (hereinafter called this Assignment) WITNESSETH: That, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other good and valuable consideration paid by the Assignee to the Seller, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, as well as of the mutual covenants herein contained:

SECTION 1. The Seller hereby assigns, transfers, and sets over unto the Assignee, its successors and assigns:

- (a) All the right, title and interest of the Seller in and to each unit of the Equipment;
- (b) All the right, title and interest of the Seller in and to the Conditional Sale Agreement (except the duty to sell and deliver the Equipment and the right to receive the payments specified in the second paragraph of Article 2 thereof, in the first paragraph and in subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of Article 3 thereof and in the last paragraph of Article 16 thereof and reimbursement for taxes paid or incurred by the Seller, and in and to any and all amounts which may be or become due or owing to the Seller under

the Conditional Sale Agreement on account of the indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price (as defined in the Conditional Sale Agreement) of the Equipment and interest thereon, and in and to any other sums becoming due from the Company or the Guarantor under the Conditional Sale Agreement, other than those hereinabove excluded; and

(c) Except as limited by subparagraph (b) of this paragraph, all the Seller's rights, powers, privileges and remedies under the Conditional Sale Agreement;

without any recourse, however, against the Seller for or on account of the failure of the Vendee or the Guarantor to make any of the payments provided for in, or otherwise to comply with, any of the provisions of the Conditional Sale Agreement; provided, however, that this Assignment shall not subject the Assignee to, or transfer, or pass, or in any way affect or modify, the obligations of the Seller to deliver the Equipment in accordance with the Conditional Sale Agreement or with respect to the warranties and agreements contained or referred to in Articles 14 and 15 of the Conditional Sale Agreement or relieve the Vendee or the Guarantor from their respective obligations to the Seller contained or referred to in Articles 1, 2, 3, 10 and 15 of the Conditional Sale Agreement (except that the Assignee shall also be entitled to the benefit of the Vendee's obligations under said Articles); it being understood and agreed that, notwithstanding this Assignment, or any subsequent assignment pursuant to the provisions of Article 16 of the Conditional Sale Agreement, all obligations of the Seller to the Vendee with respect to the Equipment shall be and remain enforceable by the Vendee, its successors and assigns, against and only against the Seller. In furtherance of the foregoing assignment and transfer, the Seller hereby authorizes and empowers the Assignee in the Assignee's own name, or in the name of the Assignee's nominee, or in the name of and as attorney, hereby irrevocably constituted, for the Seller, to ask, demand, sue for, collect, receive and enforce any and all sums to which the Assignee is or may become entitled under this Assignment and compliance by the Vendee and the Guarantor with the terms and agreements on their parts to be performed under the Conditional Sale Agreement, but at the expense and liability and for the sole benefit of the Assignee.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary hereinabove provided, promptly upon receipt of the first interest payment payable under the Conditional Sale Agreement, the Assignee will pay to the Seller that portion of such interest payment which is in excess over the total amount of interest which the Assignee is required to disburse to the Investors (named in the Finance Agreement) pursuant to the terms of the Finance Agreement.

SECTION 2. The Seller covenants and agrees that it will sell and deliver the equipment to the Vendee in accordance with the provisions of the Conditional Sale Agreement; and that, notwithstanding this Assignment, it will perform and fully comply with each and all of the covenants and conditions of the Conditional Sale Agreement set forth to be performed and complied with by the Seller. The Seller further covenants and agrees that it will warrant to the Assignee and the Vendee that at the time of delivery of each unit of the Equipment to the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement it had legal title to such unit and good and lawful right to sell such unit and the title to such unit was free of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances of any nature except only the rights of the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement and the rights of the Guarantor under the Lease (as defined in the Conditional Sale Agreement); and the Seller further covenants and agrees that it will defend the title to such unit against the demands of all persons whomsoever based on claims originating prior to said delivery of such unit by the Seller to the Vendee; all subject, however, to the provisions of the Conditional Sale Agreement and the rights of the Vendee thereunder.

The Seller will not deliver any of the Equipment to the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement until the Conditional Sale Agreement has been filed pursuant to Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and in all other jurisdictions in which filing or recording may be required to protect fully the title of the Assignee in and to the Equipment.

The Seller covenants and agrees with the Assignee that in any suit, proceeding or action brought by the Assignee under the Conditional Sale Agreement for any installment of, or interest on, indebtedness in respect of the Purchase Price of the Equipment or to enforce any provision of the

Conditional Sale Agreement, the Seller will indemnify, protect and hold harmless the Assignee from and against all expense, loss or damage suffered by reason of any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever of the Vendee arising out of a breach by the Seller or of the builder of the Equipment of any obligation with respect to the Equipment or the manufacture, construction, delivery or warranty thereof, or referred to in Article 15 of the Conditional Sale Agreement, or by reason of any defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment whatsoever arising by reason of any other indebtedness or liability at any time owing to the Vendee or the Guarantor by the Seller. Any and all such obligations shall not be enforceable against the Assignee or any party or parties in whom title to the Equipment or any unit thereof or the rights of the Seller under the Conditional Sale Agreement shall vest by reason of this Agreement and Assignment or of successive assignments. The foregoing indemnification provision is conditioned upon (1) the Assignee promptly moving or taking other timely action on the basis of Article 16 of the Conditional Sale Agreement to strike any such defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment asserted by the Vendee or the Guarantor and (2), if the court or other body having jurisdiction denies such motion or other action and accepts such defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment as a triable issue. the Assignee promptly notifying the Seller of the asserted defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment and giving the Seller the right, at the Seller's expense, to compromise, settle or defend against such defense, setoff, counterclaim or recoupment.

The Seller agrees that any amount payable to it by the Vendee or the Guarantor, whether pursuant to the Conditional Sale Agreement or otherwise, not hereby assigned to the Assignee, shall not be secured by any lien, charge, security interest or other encumbrance on any unit of the Equipment in respect of which the Assignee pays to the Seller the amount to be paid by the Assignee under Section 5 hereof.

SECTION 3. The Seller will cause to be plainly, distinctly, permanently and conspicuously marked on each unit of railroad rolling stock in the Equipment, at the time of delivery thereof to the Vendee, in letters not less that one inch in height, the following legend:

"NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL, BANK OF BOSTON, AGENT-OWNER"

SECTION 4. Upon request of the Assignee, its successors and assigns, the Seller will execute any and all instruments which may be necessary or proper in order to discharge of record the Conditional Sale Agreement or any other instrument evidencing any interest of the Seller therein or in the Equipment.

SECTION 5. The Assignee, on the Closing Date fixed as provided in Article 3 of the Conditional Sale Agreement shall pay to the Seller an amount equal to that portion of the Purchase Price (as defined in said Article 3) of the Equipment not required to be paid pursuant to subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of said Article 3, provided that there shall have been delivered to the Assignee (with a signed counterpart to the Vendee) the following documents, in such number of counterparts or copies as may reasonably be requested, in form and substance satisfactory to it and to its special counsel hereinafter mentioned:

- (a) Bill of Sale from the Seller to the Assignee, confirming the transfer hereunder to the Assignee of title to the Equipment and warranting to the Assignee and to the Vendee that at the time of delivery to the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement the Seller had legal title to the Equipment and lawful right to sell same and title to the Equipment was free of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances of any nature except only the rights of the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement and the rights of the Guarantor under the Lease;
- (b) Certificate or Certificates of Acceptance with respect to the Equipment as contemplated by Article 2 of the Conditional Sale Agreement and the Certificate or Certificates of Acceptance pursuant to § 1 of the Lease:
- (c) Invoice or Invoices for the Equipment accompanied by or having endorsed thereon a certification by the Vendee and the Guarantor as to the correctness of the price of the Equipment as set forth in said invoice or invoices;
- (d) Opinion, dated as of such Closing Date, of Messrs. Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, who are acting as special counsel for the Assignee and for the Investors named in the Finance Agreement, stating that (i) the Finance Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Assignee and the Guarantor and is a valid agreement binding upon said parties, (ii) the Conditional Sale Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the respective parties thereto and is a valid and binding instrument enforceable in

accordance with its terms, (iii) this Assignment has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the respective parties hereto and is a valid and binding instrument, (iv) the Assignee is vested with all the rights, titles, interests, powers, privileges and remedies purported to be assigned to it by this Assignment, (v) title to the Equipment is validly vested in the Assignee and such Equipment, at the time of delivery thereof to the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement, were free of all claims, liens, security interests and other encumbrances except only the rights of the Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement, and the rights of the Guarantor under the Lease, (vi) no approval of the Interstate Commerce Commission or any other governmental authority is necessary for the execution and delivery of the Conditional Sale Agreement or this Assignment, or, if any approval is necessary, it has been obtained, (vii) the Conditional Sale Agreement, this Assignment and the Lease have been duly filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and all other filing or recordation necessary for the protection of the rights of the Assignee in and to the Equipment in any State of the United States of America and the District of Columbia has been undertaken and (viii) registration of the Conditional Sale Agreement, this Assignment or the certificates of interest delivered pursuant to the Finance Agreement is not required under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and qualification of an indenture with respect thereto is not required under the Trust Indenture Act of 1939, as amended;

(e) Opinions of counsel for the Vendee and the Guarantor, dated as of such Closing Date, stating that (i) the Vendee or the Guarantor, as the case may be, is a duly organized and existing corporation in good standing under the laws of its jurisdiction of incorporation, and has the power and authority to own its properties and to carry on its business as now conducted and (ii) the Conditional Sale Agreement has been duly authorized, executed and delivered on behalf of the Vendee or the Guarantor, as the case may be, and is a valid and binding instrument en-

forceable against the Vendee or the Guarantor, as the case may be, in accordance with its terms; and opinion of counsel for the Guarantor to the effect set forth in subparagraph (d) of this paragraph;

- (f) Opinion of counsel for the Seller, dated as of such Closing Date, to the effect set forth in subparagraph (d) of this paragraph and stating that (i) the Seller is a duly organized and existing corporation in good standing under the laws of the state of its incorporation and has the power and authority to own its properties and to carry on its business as now conducted and (ii) that no Municipal, State or Federal tax, judgment or other liens or security interests have been filed against or encumber Seller's title in and to the various units of the Equipment under the Conditional Sale Agreement (such opinion to be furnished by independent counsel satisfactory to counsel for the Assignee);
- (g) Copies of such invoices, bills of sale and opinions of counsel of the builder of the Equipment as counsel for the Assignee may reasonably request; and
- (h) Unless payment of the amount, if any, payable pursuant to subparagraph (a) of the third paragraph of Article 3 of the Conditional Sale Agreement shall be made by the Assignee with funds furnished to it for that purpose by the Vendee, the receipt from the Seller for such payment.

In giving the opinions specified in this Section 5, counsel may (i) qualify any opinion to the effect that any agreement is a valid and binding instrument enforceable in accordance with its terms by a general reference to limitations as to enforceability imposed by bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally and (ii) state that such opinion does not pass upon questions involving interest on interest. In giving the opinions specified in subparagraphs (d) and (e) of the first paragraph of this Section 5, counsel may in fact rely as to the title to the units at the time of delivery to the Vendee upon the opinion of counsel for the Seller. In giving the opinions specified in subparagraph (d) of the first paragraph of this Section 5, Messrs. Morgan, Lewis & Bockius may in fact rely, as to any matters governed by the law of any jurisdiction other than Pennsylvania or the United States, on the opinions of counsel for the Seller or the Guarantor as to such matters,

provided that such counsel shall state that they have made an independent investigation of the matters contained in such opinions and that they concur in the conclusions expressed therein.

The obligation of the Assignee hereunder to make payment for the Equipment is hereby expressly conditioned upon the prior receipt by the Assignee, pursuant to the Finance Agreement, of all the funds to be furnished to the Assignee by the Investors parties to the Finance Agreement with respect thereto.

The Assignee shall not be obligated to make any of the abovementioned payments at any time while an event of default, or any event which with the lapse of time and/or demand provided for in the Conditional Sale Agreement will constitute an event of default, shall be subsisting under the Conditional Sale Agreement.

In the event that the Assignee shall not make any payment to be made by it as herein provided, the Assignee shall reassign to the Seller, without recourse to the Assignee, all right, title and interest of the Assignee in and to the units of Equipment with respect to which such payment has not been made by the Assignee.

It is understood and agreed that the Assignee shall not be required to make any payment in respect of any Equipment excluded from the Conditional Sale Agreement pursuant to Article 2 or 3 thereof.

SECTION 6. The Assignee may assign all or any of its rights under the Conditional Sale Agreement, including the right to receive any payments due or to become due to it from the Vendee or the Guarantor thereunder. In the event of any such assignment any such subsequent or successive assignee or assignees shall, to the extent of such assignment, enjoy all the rights and privileges and be subject to all the obligations of the Assignee hereunder.

SECTION 7. The Seller hereby:

(a) represents and warrants to the Assignee, its successors and assigns, that the Conditional Sale Agreement was duly authorized and lawfully executed and delivered by it for a valid consideration, that (assuming due authorization, execution and delivery by the Vendee and the Guarantor) it is

a valid and existing agreement binding upon the Seller, the Vendee and the Guarantor, and that it is now in force without amendment thereto; and

(b) covenants and agrees that it will from time to time and at all times, at the request of the Assignee of its successors or assigns, make, execute and deliver all such further instruments of assignment, transfer and assurance and do such further acts and things as may be necessary and appropriate in the premises to give effect to the provisions hereinabove set forth and more perfectly to confirm the rights, title and interests hereby assigned and transferred to the Assignee or intended so to be.

SECTION 8. The terms of this Assignment and all rights and obligations hereunder shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; provided, however, that the parties shall be entitled to all the rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and such additional rights arising out of the filing, recording or depositing of the Conditional Sale Agreement and this Assignment as shall be conferred by the laws of the several jurisdictions in which the Conditional Sale Agreement or this Assignment shall be filed, recorded or deposited.

SECTION 9. Although this Assignment is dated as of November 1, 1968, for convenience, the actual date or dates of execution hereof by the parties hereto is or are, respectively, the date or dates stated in the acknowledgments hereto annexed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto, each pursuant to due authority, have caused these presents to be executed in their respective corporate names by officers duly elected and authorized, and their respective corporate seals to be affixed and duly attested, all as of the date first above written.

LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION.

By D. Charles Memiesker President

SEAL

Attest

Assistant Secretary

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, as Agent,

By John L. Lahoen

SEAL

Attest:

Assistant Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA:

88.

COUNTY OF MONTGOMERY

On this SK day of December, 1968, before me personally appeared D. Charles Merriwether, to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is President of LEASE FINANCING CORPORATION, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Slow & Berger Notary Public

Notary Public

My commission expires: 5/25/70

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS:

COUNTY OF SUFFECTION

SS.

On this 10th day of December, 1968, before me personally appeared Robert J. School to me personally known, who, being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK OF BOSTON, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors, and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation

Notary Public

SEAL

My commission expires: Nov. 29, 1969

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT

Receipt of a copy of, and due notice of the assignment made by, the foregoing Agreement and Assignment is hereby acknowledged as of November 1, 1968.

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION,

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PENN CENTRAL COMPANY.

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Assistant Vice President

LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT

by and between

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION,

and

PENN CENTRAL COMPANY

DATED AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 1968

LEASE OF RAILROAD EQUIPMENT, dated as of November 1, 1968, between NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, a Massachusetts corporation (hereinafter called the Lessor), and PENN CENTRAL COMPANY, a Pennsylvania corporation (hereinafter called the Lessee).

WHEREAS, the Lessor and the Lessee have entered into a Conditional Sale Agreement (hereinafter called the Conditional Sale Agreement) with Lease Financing Corporation, as Seller (the term Seller or Vendor, as used herein, being deemed to have the respective meanings set forth in Article 27 of the Conditional Sale Agreement), wherein the Seller has agreed to sell and deliver to the Lessor the railroad equipment described in Schedule A hereto and in Annex A to the Conditional Sale Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Lessee desires to lease all the items of said equipment or such lesser number as are delivered and accepted prior to December 31, 1958 (hereinafter called the Units), at the rentals and for the terms and upon the conditions hereinafter provided;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the rentals to be paid and the covenants hereinafter mentioned to be paid and the covenants hereinafter mentioned to be kept and performed by the Lessee, the Lessor hereby leases the Units to the Lessee upon the following terms and conditions but, upon default of the Lessee hereunder, subject to all the rights and remedies of the Vendor under the Conditional Sale Agreement:

- 1. Delivery and Acceptance of Units. The Lessor will cause each Unit to be tendered to the Lessee at the point or points within the United States of America at which such Unit is delivered to the Lessor under the Conditional Sale Agreement. Upon such tender, the Lessee will cause an authorized representative of the Lessee to inspect the same and if such Unit is found to be in good order to accept delivery of such Unit and to execute and deliver to the Lessor and to the Seller a certificate of acceptance (hereinafter called the "Certificate of Acceptance"); whereupon such Unit shall be deemed to have been delivered to and accepted by the Lessee and shall be subject thereafter to all the terms and conditions of this Lease.
- 2. Rentals. The Lessee agrees to pay to the Lessor interim rent (hereinafter called "Interim Rent") for each Unit subject to the Lease for the period from and including the date of acceptance of such Unit by Lessee to and including December 31, 1968, in an amount equal to \$44.785 times the number of days from and including the date of acceptance of a unit to and including December 31, 1968. Interim Rent shall be due and payable by the Lessee at the Closing (as such term is defined in the Conditional Sale Agreement). The Lessee

agrees to pay to the Lessor as additional rental for each Unit subject to this Lease 30 consecutive semiannual payments, payable on July 1 and January 1 of each year commencing January 1, 1969. The first ten such semiannual payments shall be in an amount equal to 3.1831% of the Purchase Price (as such term is defined in the Conditional Sale Agreement) of each Unit subject to this Lease; and the last 20 of which shall each in an an amount equal to 5.6961% of the Purchase Price of each such Unit. If any of the payment dates referred to above is not a business day, the payment shall be payable on the next succeeding business day.

The Lessor irrevocably agrees that all payments provided for in this
Lease to be made to the Lessor shall be paid in immediately available funds in
Philadelphia to the account of the Lessor, care of The New England Merchants
National Bank of Boston, 28 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02106, attention of
Assistant Vice President, and shall be applied
by such Bank toward the satisfaction of the obligations of the Lessor under the
Conditional Sale Agreement accrued at the time such payments are due hereunder,
and any balance shall be paid to the Lessor.

This Lease is a net lease and the Lessee shall not be entitled to any abatement of rent, reduction thereof or setoff against rent, including, but not limited to, abatements, reductions or setoffs due or alleged to be due to, or by reason of, any past, present or future claims of the Lessee against the Lessor under this Lease or the Vendor or otherwise; nor except as otherwise expressly provided herein, shall this Lease terminate, or the respective obligations of the Lessor or the Lessee be otherwise affected, by reason of any defect in or damage to or loss of possession or loss of use of or destruction of all or any of the Units from whatsoever cause, the prohibition of or other restriction against Lessee's use of all or any of the Units, the interference with such use by any private person or entity, the invalidity or unenforceability or lack of due authorization of this Lease, or for any other cause whether similar or dissimilar to the foregoing, any present or future law to the contrary notwithstanding, it being the intention of the parties hereto that the rents and other amounts payable by the Lessee hereunder shall continue to be payable in all events in the manner and at the times herein provided unless the obligation to pay the same shall be terminated pursuant to the express provisions of this Lease.

3. Terms of Lease. The term of this Lease as to each Unit shall begin on the date of the delivery to and acceptance by the Lessee of such Unit and, subject to the provisions of §§6, 9 and 12 hereof, shall terminate six months following the date on which the final semiannual payment of rent in respect thereof is due hereunder.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein all rights and obligations under this Lease and in and to the Units, upon default by the Lessee hereunder, are subject to the rights of the Vendor under the Conditional Sale Agreement. If an event of default should occur under the Conditional Sale Agreement

and the Lessee is in default hereunder or under the Conditional Sale Agreement, the Vendor may terminate this Lease (or rescind its termination), all as provided in the Conditional Sale Agreement. If a Declaration of Default (as defined in the Conditional Sale Agreement) should be made under the Conditional Sale Agreement due to an event of default not occasioned by an act or omission of the Lessee hereunder or not attributable to the Lessee under the Conditional Sale Agreement, and if such Declaration of Default shall not have been rescinded by the Vendor within 30 days of the making thereof, or if the Vendor therefore has indicated either in writing to the Lesser or the Lessee or by the commencement of the remedies specified under Article 18 of the Conditional Sale Agreement, that it will not rescind such Declaration of Default, the Lessee, without penalty under this Lease, may, but shall not be obligated to terminate this Lease.

4. Identification Marks. The Lessee will cause each Unit of railroad rolling stock to be kept numbered with the identifying number set forth in Annex A to the Conditional Sale Agreement and will keep and maintain, plainly, distinctly, permanently and conspicuously marked on each such Unit, in letters not less than one inch in height, the following words:

"New England Merchants National Bank of Boston, Boston, Massachusetts, Agent-Owner!"

or other appropriate words designated by the Lessor, with appropriate changes thereof and additions thereto as from time to time may be required by law in order to protect the title of the Lessor or the Vendor to such Unit and the rights of the Lessor under this Lease and of the Vendor under the Conditional Sale Agreement. The Lessee will not place any such Unit in operation or exercise any control or dominion over the same until such names and word or words shall have been so marked on both sides thereof and will replace promptly any such names and word or words which may be removed, defaced or destroyed. The Lessee will not change the identifying number of any Unit except in accordance with a statement of new identifying numbers to be substituted therefore which statement previously shall have been filed with the Vendor and the Lessor by the Lessee and filed, recorded or deposited in all public offices where this Lease will have been filed, recorded or deposited.

Except as above provided, the Lessee will not allow the name of any person, association or corporation to be placed on the Units as a designation that might be interpreted as a claim of ownership; provided, however, that the Lessee may cause the Units to be lettered with the names or initials or other insignia customarily used by the Lessee or its affiliates on railroad equipment used by them of the same or a similar type for convenience of identification of their rights to use the Units as permitted under this Lease.

5. Taxes. All payments to be made by the Lessee hereunder will be free of expense to the Lessor for collection or other charges and will be free of expense to the Lessor with respect to the amount of any local, state, federal, mexican or Canadian (Dominion or Provincial) taxes (other than any United States federal income tax or Mexican or Canadian Dominion or Provincial income tax (to the extent that the Lessor receives credit therefor against its United States federal income tax)

payable by the Lessor in consequence of the receipt of payments provided herein and other than the aggregate of all state or city income taxes or franchise taxes payable to any jurisdiction in the United States measured by net income based on such receipts, up to the amount of any such taxes which would be payable to the state and city in which the Lessor has its principal place of business without apportionment to any other state, except any such tax which is in substitution for or relieves the Lessee from the payment of taxes which it would otherwise be obligated to pay or reimburse as herein provided), assessments or licenses (and any charges, fines or penalties in connection therewith) hereafter levied or imposed upon or in connection with or measured by, this Lease or any sale, rental, use, payment, shipment, delivery or transfer of title under the terms hereof or the Conditional Sale Agreement, all of which expenses, taxes, assessments, licenses, charges, fines and penalties (hereinafter called "impositions") the Lessee assumes and agrees to pay on demand in addition to the payments to be made by it provided for herein. The Lessee will also pay promptly all impositions which may be imposed upon any Unit or for the use or operation thereof or upon the earnings arising therefrom or upon the Lessor solely by reason of its ownership thereof and will keep at all times all and every part of such Unit free and clear of all impositions which might in any way affect the title of the Lessor or result in a lien upon any such Unit; provided, however, that the Lessee shall be under no obligation to pay any impositions so long as it is contesting in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings such impositions and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the opinion of the Lessor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Lessor hereunder or under the Conditional Sale Agreement. If any impositions shall have been charged or levied against the Lessor directly and paid by the Lessor, the Lessee shall reimburse the Lessor on presentation of invoice therefor.

In the event that the Lessor shall become obligated to make any payment to the Vendor pursuant to Article 10 of the Conditional Sale Agreement not covered by the foregoing paragraph of this §5, the Lessee shall pay such additional amounts (which shall also be deemed "impositions" hereunder) to the Lessor as will enable the Lessor to fulfill completely its obligations to the Vendor pursuant to said Article 10.

In the event any reports with respect to impositions are required to be made on the basis of individual Units, the Lessee will either make such reports in such manner as to show the interests of the Lessor and the Vendor in such Units or will notify the Lessor and the Vendor of such requirement and will make such reports in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Lessor and the Vendor.

In the event that, during the continuance of this Lease, the Lessee becomes liable for the payment or reimbursement of any impositions, pursuant to this §5, such liability shall continue, notwithstanding the expiration of this Lease, until all such impositions are paid or reimbursed by the Lessee.

6. Payment for Casualty Occurrences and Economic Obsolescence. In the event that any Unit shall be or become worn out, lost, stolen, destroyed or, in the opinion of Lessee, irreparably damaged, from any cause whatsoever or taken or requisitioned by condemnation or otherwise (such occurrences being hereinafter called Casualty Occurrences) during the term of this Lease the Lessee shall within twenty days after it shall have determined that such Unit has suffered a Casualty Occurrence fully inform the Lessor and the Vendor in writing in regard thereto, including in such information a statement of the causes of or reasons for such Casualty Occurrence. On the next succeeding rental payment date the Lessee shall pay to the Lessor in immediately available funds in Boston, Massachusetts, an amount equal to the accrued rental for such Unit to the date of such payment plus a sum equal to the Casualty Value, as hereinafter defined, of such Unit suffering a Casualty Occurrence as of the date of such payment in accordance with the schedule set out below. Upon the making of such payment by the Lessee in respect of any Unit, the rental for such Unit shall cease to accrue as of the date of such payment, the term of this Lease as to such Unit shall terminate and (except in the case of the loss, theft or complete destruction of such Unit) the Lessor shall be entitled to recover possession of such Unit. Following the giving of written notice of a Casualty Occurrence, the Lessee shall cooperate fully with the Lessor in seeking bids for the purchase of such Unit the Lessee shall be entitled to retain the proceeds of such sale up to an amount equal to the Casualty Value previously paid by the Lessee hereunder. Any excess of such proceeds over the Casualty Value previously paid by the Lessee shall be retained by the Lessor.

The Casualty Value of each Unit as of any rental payment date shall be an amount equal to that percentage of the Purchase Price of such Unit as is set forth in Column B of the following schedule opposite the number of such rental payment date.

CASUALTY VALUES
(Stated as a Percentage of Equipment Cost)

A. Rental Payment No.	B. Casualty Value
1	100.00%
2	100.00
3	100.00
4	100.00
5	100.00
6	100.00
7	100.00
8	100.00
9	100.00

A.	В.
Rental	Casualty
Payment No.	Value
10	100.00%
11	100.00
12	100.00
13	99.51
14	97.24
15	94.71
16	91.93
17	88.90
18	85.62
19	82.08
20	78.29
21	74.25
22	69.95
23	65.40
24	60.60
25	55.54
26	50.23
27	44.67
28	38.85
29	32.78
30	26.38

Thereafter the Casualty Value of each Unit as of any rental payment date shall be the then Fair Market Value of such Unit.

Except as hereinabove in this \$6 provided, the Lessee shall not be released from its obligations hereunder in the event of, and will bear the risk of, a Casualty Occurrence to any Unit after delivery to and acceptance thereof by the Lessee hereunder.

7. Annual Reports. On or before March 1 in each year commencing with the year 1970, the Lessee will cause to be furnished to the Lessor and the Vendor an accurate statement, as of the preceding January 1, (a) showing the amount, description and numbers of the Units then leased hereunder, the amount description and numbers of all Units that may have suffered a Casualty Occurrence during the preceding twelve months (or since the date of this Lease, in the case of the first such statement), and such other information regarding the condition and state of repair of the Units as the Lessor or the Vendor may reasonably request and (b) stating that, in the case of all Units repainted during the period covered by such statement, the markings required by \$4 hereof and Article 9 of the Conditional Sale Agreement shall have been preserved or replaced.

The Lessor shall have the right at its sole cost and expense, by its authorized representatives, to inspect the Units and the Lesses's records with respect thereto, at such times as shall be reasonably necessary to confirm to the Lessor the existence and proper maintenance thereof during the continuance of this Lease.

8. Disclaimer of Warranties; Compliance with Laws and Rules; Maintenance; and Indemnification. The Lessor makes no warranty or representation, either express or implied, as to the design or condition of, or as to the quality of the material, equipment or workmanship in the Units delivered to the Lessee hereunder, and the Lessor makes no warranty of merchantability or fitness of the Units for any particular purpose or as to title to the Units or any component thereof, it being agreed that all such risks, as between the Lessor and the Lessee, are to be borne by the Lessee; but the Lessor hereby irrevocably appoints and constitutes the Lessee its agent and attorney-in-fact during the term of this Lease to assert and enforce from time to time in the name of and for account of the Lessor and/or the Lessee, as their interests may appear, whatever claims and rights the Lessor may have as vendee under the provisions of Article 14 of the Conditional Sale Agreement. Lessee's acceptance of delivery of the Units shall be conclusive evidence as between the Lessee and the Lessor that all Units described in the Certificate of Delivery are in all the foregoing respects satisfactory to the Lessee and the Lessee will not assert any claim of any nature whatsoever against the Lessor based on any of the foregoing matters.

The Lessee agrees, for the benefit of the Lessor and the Vendor, to comply during the term of this Lease in all respects with all laws of the jurisdictions in which operations involving the Units may extend and with all lawful rules of the Department of Transportation and any other legislative, executive, administrative or judicial body exercising any power or jurisdiction over the Units to the extent that such laws or rules affect the operation or use of the Units. In the event that such laws or rules require the alteration of the Units or in case any equipment or appliance on any such Unit shall be required to be changed or replaced, or in case any additional or other equipment or appliance is required to be installed on such Unit in order to comply with such laws, regulations, requirements and rules, the Lessee agrees to make such alterations, changes, additions and replacements at its own expense; and the Lessee will use, maintain and operate such Unit in full compliance with such laws, regulations, requirements and rules so long as it is subject to this Lease; provided, however, that the Lessee may, in good faith, contest the validity or application of any such law or rule in any reasonable manner which does not in the opinion of the Lessor or the Vendor, adversely affect the property or rights of the Lessor or such Vendor hereunder or under the Conditional Sale Agreement.

The Lessee agrees that, at its cown cost and expense, it will maintain and keep each Unit which is subject to this Lease in good order and repair.

Any and all additions to any Unit and any and all parts installed on or replacements made to any Unit, but only if such additions or parts (other than replacements) are necessary to the operation of the Equipment as Locomotives, shall be considered accessions to such Unit and, at the cost and expense of the Lessee, full ownership thereof free of any lien, charge, security interest or encumbrance (except for those created by the Conditional Sale Agreement) shall immediately be vested in the Lessor and the Vendor as their respective interests shall appear in the Unit itself.

The Lessee agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Lessor and the Vendor against any charge or claim made against the Lessor or the Vendor. and against any expense, loss or liability (including but not limited to counsel fees and expenses, patent liabilities, penalties and interest and any other liability which the Lessor may have under Articles 14 and 15 of the Conditional Sale Agreement) which the Lessor or the Vendor may incur in any manner by reason of entering into or the performance of the Conditional Sale Agreement or this Lease or by reason of the ownership of any Unit, or which may arise in any manner out of or as a result of the ordering, acquisition, use, operation, condition, purchase, delivery, rejection, storage or return of any Unit under this Lease. The Lessee further agrees to indemnify and save harmless the Lessor and the Vendor against any charge, claim, expense, loss or liability (including but not limited to counsel fees and expenses, penalties and interest) on account of any accident in connection with the operation, use, condition, possession or storage of any Unit resulting in damage to property or injury to any person. The indemnities arising under this paragraph shall survive payment of all other obligations under this Lease or the termination of this Lease.

The Lessee agrees to prepare and deliver to the Lessor within a reasonable time prior to the required date of filing (or, to the extent permissible, file on behalf of the Lessor) any and all reports to be filed by the Lessor with any federal, state or other regulatory authority by reason of the ownership by the Lessor or the Vendor of the Units or the leasing thereof to the Lessee.

- 9. <u>Default</u>. If, during the continuance of this Lease, one or more of the following events (hereinafter sometimes called "Events of Default") shall occur:
 - A. default shall be made in the payment of any part of the rental provided in \$2 hereof and such default shall continue for five days;

- B. the Lessee shall make or permit any unauthorized assignment of transfer of this Lease or of possession of the Units, or any thereof;
- C. default shall be made in the observance or performance of any other of the covenants, conditions and agreements on the part of the Lessee contained herein or in the Conditional Sale Agreement and such default shall continue for 25 days after written notice from the Lessor or the Vendor to the Lessee specifying the default and demanding that the same be remedied;
- D. any proceedings shall be commenced by or against the Lessee for any relief under any bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or laws relating to the relief of debtors, readjustments of indebtedness, reorganizations, arrangements, compositions or extensions (other than a law which does not permit any readjustment of the obligations of the Lessee hereunder or under the Conditional Sale Agreement), and unless such proceedings shall have been discontinued, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Lessee under this Lease and under the Conditional Sale Agreement shall not have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers appointed for the Lessee or for the property of the Lessee in connection with any such proceedings or otherwise given a status comparable to obligations incurred by such a trustee or trustees or receiver or receivers, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or 60 days after such proceeding shall have been commenced, whichever shall be earlier; or
- E. a petition for reorganization under Section 77 of the Bankruptcy. Act, as now constituted or as said Section 77 may be hereafter amended, shall be filed by or against the Lessee and, unless such petition shall be dismissed, nullified, stayed or otherwise rendered ineffective (but then only so long as such stay shall continue in force or such ineffectiveness shall continue), all the obligations of the Lessee under the Conditional Sale Agreement and this Lease shall not have been duly assumed in writing, pursuant to a court order or decree, by a trustee or trustees appointed in such proceedings in such manner that such obligations shall have the same status as obligations incurred by such trustee or trustees, within 30 days after such appointment, if any, or

60 days after such petition shall have been filed, whichever shall be earlier;

then, in any such case, the Lessor, at its option, may:

- (a) proceed by appropriate court action or actions either at law or in equity, to enforce performance by the Lessee of the applicable covenants of this Lease or to recover damages for the breach thereof (including expenses and the fees and expenses of counsel sustained by Lessor by reason of such a breach); or
- (b) by notice in writing to the Lessee terminate this Lease, whereupon all rights of the Lessee to the use of the Units shall absolutely cease and determine as though this Lease had never been made, but the Lessee shall remain liable as hereinafter provided; and thereupon the Lessor may by its agents enter upon the premises of the Lessee or other premises where any of the Units may be and take possession of all or any of such Units and thenceforth hold, possess and enjoy the same free from any right of the Lessee, or its successors or assigns, to use the Units for any purposes whatever; but the Lessor shall, nevertheless, have a right to recover from the Lessee any and all amounts which under the terms of this Lease may then be due or which may have accrued to the date of such termination (computing the rental for any number of days less than a full rental period by multiplying the rental for such full rental period by a fraction of which the numerator is such number of days and the denominator is the total number of days in such full rental period) and also to recover forthwith from the Lessee (i) as damages for loss of the bargain and not as a penalty, a sum, with respect to each Unit, which represents the excess of (x) the present value, at the time of such termination, of the entire unpaid balance of all rentals for such Unit which would otherwise have accrued hereunder from the date of such termination to the end of the term of this Lease as to such Unit over (y) the then present value of the rentals which the Lessor reasonably estimates to be obtainable for the use of the Unit during such period, such present value to be computed in each case on a basis of a 6 % per annum discount compounded semiannually from the respective dates upon which rentals would have been payable

hereunder had this Lease not been terminated, (ii) any damage, other than for the payment of rental, and expenses, including reasonable attorneys' fees, in addition thereto which the Lessor shall have sustained by reason of the breach of any covenant or covenants of this Lease and including, without limitation, (iii) an amount which, after deduction of all taxes required to be paid by the Lessor in

respect of the receipt thereof under the laws of the United States or any political subdivision thereof, shall be equal to any portion of the investment credit allowed by Section 38 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, lost by the Lessor as a result of the sale or other dispostion of the Lessor's interest in any Unit after the occurrence of an Event of Default.

The remedies in this Lease provided in favor of the Lessor shall not be deemed exclusive, but shall be cumulative, and shall be in addition to all other remedies in their favor existing at law or in equity. The Lessee hereby waives any mandatory requirements of law, now or hereafter in effect, which might limit or modify the remedies herein provided, to the extent that such waiver is permitted by law. The Lessee hereby waives any and all existing or future claims to any offset against the rental payments due hereunder, and agrees to make rental payments regardless of any offset or claim which may be asserted by the Lessee or on its behalf.

The failure of the Lessor to exercise the rights granted it hereunder upon the occurrence of any of the contingencies set forth herein shall not constitute a waiver of any such right upon the continuation or recurrence of any such contingencies or similar contingencies.

- 10. Return of Units Upon Default. If this Lease shall terminate pursuant to \$9 hereof, the Lessee shall forthwith deliver possession of the Units to the Lessor. For the purpose of delivering possession of any Unit or Units to the Lessor as above required, the Lessee shall at its own cost, expense and risk:
 - A. forhwithplace such Units upon such storage tracks of the Lessee as the Lessor reasonably may designate,
 - B. permit the Lessor to store such Units on such tracks at the risk of the Lessee until such Units have been sold, leased or otherwise disposed of by the Lessor, and
 - C. transport the same to any place on the lines of railroad operated by it or any of its affiliates or to any connecting carrier for shipment, all as directed by the Lessor.

The assembling, delivery, storage and transporting of the Units as hereinbefore provided shall be at the expense and risk of the Lessee and are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises the Lessor shall be entitled to a decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. During any storage period, the Lessee will permit the Lessor or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative

or representatives of any prospective purchaser of any such Unit to inspect the same; provided, however, that the Lessee shall not be liable, except in the case of negligence of the Lessee or of its employees or agents, for any injury to, or the death of, any person exercising, either on behalf of the Lessor or any prospective purchaser, the rights of inspection granted under this sentence.

Without in any way limiting the obligation of the Lessee under the foregoing provisions of this §10, the Lessee hereby irrevocably appoints the Lessor
as the agent and attorney of the Lessee, with full power and authority, at any
time while the Lessee is obligated to deliver possession of any Unit to the
Lessor, to demand and take possession of such Unit in the name and on behalf
of the Lessee from whoseever at the time shall be in possession of such Unit.

11. Assignment; Possession and Use. This Lease shall be assignable in whole or in part by the Lessor without the consent of the Lessee, but the Lessee shall be under no obligation to any assignee of the Lessor except upon written notice of such assignment from the Lessor. Unless the Lessee otherwise consents, all rentals and other payments made hereunder shall be paid by the Lessee to the account of the Lessor, care of The New England Merchants National Bank of Boston (or to any assignee of said Bank made pursuant to Section 6 of an Agreement and Assignment between the Seller and said Bank dated as of November 1, 1968, under which the Conditional Sale Agreement is being assigned to said Bank) attention of

Assistant Vice President, and shall be applied by such Bank to satisfy the obligations of the Lessor as Vendee under the Conditional Sale Agreement accrued at the time such payments are due hereunder, and any balance shall be paid to the Lessor.

So long as the Lessee shall not be in default under this Lease, or as Guarantor under the Conditional Sale Agreement, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession and use of the Units in accordance with the terms of this Lease, but, without the prior written consent of the Lessor, the Lessee shall not assign or transfer its leasehold interest under this Lease in the Units or any of them. In addition, the Lessee, at its own expense, will promptly pay or satisfy and cause to be duly discharged any and all sums claimed by any party by through or under the Lessee or its successors or assigns which, if unpaid, might become a lien, charge, security interest or other encumbrance upon any Unit including any accession thereto equal to or superior to the interests of the Vendor and the Lessor therein(other than an encumbrance resulting from claims against the Lessor or the Vendor not related to the ownership of the Units); but the Lessee shall not be required to pay, satisfy or cause to be discharged any such claim so long as the validity thereof shall be contested in good faith and by appropriate legal proceedings in any reasonable manner and the nonpayment thereof does not, in the opinion of the Vendor or the Lessor, adversely affect the property or right of the Vendor or the Lessor in such Units. The Lessee shall not, without the prior written consent of the Lessor, part with the possession or control of, or suffer or allow to pass out of its possession or control, any of the Units, except to the extent permitted by the provisions of

the next succeeding paragraph hereof.

So long as the Lessee shall not be in default under this Lease or as Guarantor under the Conditional Sale Agreement, the Lessee shall be entitled to the possession of the Units and to the use thereof upon its lines of railroad or upon lines of railroad over which the Lessee has trackage or other operating rights or over which railroad equipment of the Lessee is regularly operated pursuant to contract, and also to permit the use of the Units upon other railroads in the usual interchange of traffic (if such interchange is customary at the time), but only upon and subject to all the terms and conditions of this Lease and the Conditional Sale Agreement.

Nothing in this \$11 shall be deemed to restrict the right of the Lessee to assign or transfer its leasehold interest under this Lease in the Units or possession of the Units to any corporation (which shall have duly assumed the obligations of the Lessee hereunder and under the Conditional Sale Agreement) into or with which the Lessee shall have become merged or consolidated or which shall have acquired the property of the Lessee as an entirety or substantially as an entirety.

The Lessee agrees that during the term of this Lease the Lessee will not assign any Unit to service involving the regular operation and maintenance thereof outside the United States of America and that during such term any use of any Unit outside the United States of America will be limited to incidental and temporary use in Mexico and Canada.

12. Purchase Option. Provided that this Lease has not been earlier terminated and the Lessee is not in default hereunder, the Lessee shall have the option to purchase all but not fewer than all the Units then covered by this Lease at the end of the original term thereof for a purchase price equal to the "Fair Market Value" as of the end of such term. Such option is to be exercised by written notification from the Lessee to the Lessor received at least six months prior to the expiration of the original term of this Lease.

Fair Market Value shall be determined on the basis of, and shall be equal in amount to, the value which would obtain in an arm's length transaction between an informed and willing buyer-user (other than (i) a lessee currently in possession and (ii) a used equipment dealer) and an informed and willing seller under no compulsion to sell and, in such determination, costs of removal from the location of current use shall not be a deduction from such value.

If on or before four months prior to the expiration of the original term hereof, the Lessor and the Lessee are unable to agree upon a determination of the Fair Market Value of the Units, such value shall be determined in accordance with the foregoing definition, by a qualified independent Appraiser.

The term Appraiser shall mean such independent appraiser as the Lessor and the Lessee may mutually agree upon or, failing such agreement, a panel of three independent appraisers, one of whom shall be selected by the Lessor, the second by the Lessee and the third designated by the first two so selected. The Appraiser shall be instructed to make such determination within a period of 30 days following appointment and shall promptly communicate such determination in writting to the Lessor and the Lessee. The determination so made shall be conclusively binding upon both Lessor and Lessee. The expenses and fee of the Appraiser shall be borne by the Lessee.

- 13. Return of Units upon Expiration of Terms. As soon as practicable on or after the expiration of the term of this Lease, the Lessee will (unless the Units are sole to the Lessee), at its own cost and expense, at the request of the Lessor, deliver possession of any Units to the Lessor upon such storage tracks of the Lessee as the Lessee may designate and permit the Lessor to store such Unit on such tracks for a period not exceeding three months and transport the same, at any time within such three-month period, to any reasonable place on the lines of railroad operated by the Lessee or to any connecting carrier for shipment, all as directed by the Lessor; the movement and storage of the Units to be at the expense and risk of the Lessee. During any such storage period the Lessee will permit the Lessor or any person designated by it, including the authorized representative or representatives of any prospective purchaser of any such Unit, to inspect the same; provided, however, that the Lessee shall not be liable except in the case of negligence of the Lessee or of its employees or agent, for any injury to, or the death of, any person exercising, either on behalf of the Lessor or any prospective purchaser, the rights of inspection granted under this sentence. The assembling, delivery, storage and transporting of the Units as hereinbefore provided are of the essence of this Lease, and upon application to any court of equity having jurisdiction in the premises, the Lessor shall be entitled to a decree against the Lessee requiring specific performance of the covenants of the Lessee so to assemble, deliver, store and transport the Units. If Lessor shall elect to abandon any Unit which has suffered a Casualty Occurrence or which, after the expiration of this Lease, the Lessor shall have deemed to have suffered a Casualty Occurrence, it may deliver written notice to such effect to the Lessee and the Lessee shall thereupon assume, and hold the Lessor harmless from all liability arising in respect of any responsibility of ownership thereof, from and after receipt of such notice.
- 14. Opinion of Counsel. Concurrently with the execution and delivery of this Lease, the Lessee will deliver to the Lessor two counterparts of the written opinion of counsel for the Lessee, addressed to the Lessor, in scope and substance satisfactory to the Lessor and its counsel, to the effect that:

- A. the Lessee is a corporation legally incorporated and validly existing, in good standing, under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, with adequate corporate power to enter into this Lease;
- B. this Lease has been duly authorized, executed and delivered by the Lessee and constitutes a valid, legal and binding agreement, enforceable in accordance with its terms:
- C. this Lease has been fully filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission pursuant to Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act, and no other filing or recordation is necessary for the protection of the rights of the Lessee;
- D. no approval is required from any public regulatory body with respect to the Lessee's entering into or performance of this Lease;
- E. the entering into and performance of this Lease by the Lessee will not result in any breach of, or constitute a default under any indenture, mortgage, deed of trust, bank loan or credit agreement or other agreement or instrument to which the Lessee is a party or by which it may be bound;
- F. no mortgage, deed of trust, or other lien of any nature whatsoever which now covers or affects, or which may hereafter cover or affect any property or interest therin of the Lessee, now attaches or hereinafter will attach to the Units or in any manner affects or will affect adversely the Lessor's right, title and interest therein; provided, however, that such liens may attach to the rights of the Lessee hereunder in and to the Units.
- 15. Recording; Expenses. Prior to the delivery and acceptance of the Units, the Lessee will cause this Lease, the Conditional Sale Agreement and any assignment hereof or thereof to be filed and recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission in accordance with Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act. The Lessee will, from time to time, do and perform any other act and will execute, acknowledge, deliver, file, register, record and deposit (and will refile, reregister, rerecord or redeposit whenever required) any and all further instruments required by law or reasonably requested by the Lessor for the purpose of proper protection, to the satisfaction of the

Lessor, of the Vendor's and the Lessor's respective interests in the Units, or for the purpose of carrying out the intention of this Lease or the Conditional Sale Agreement.

The Lessee will pay the reasonable costs and expenses involved in the preparation and printing of this Lease. In addition, the Lessee will pay to the Lessor an amount equal to all payments which the Lessor is required to make under Article 22 of the Conditional Sale Agreement. The Lessor and Lessee each will bear the respective fees and disbursements of any counsel which it may retain.

- 16. Interest on Overdue Rentals. Anything to the contrary herein contained notwithstanding, any nonpayment of rentals and other obligations due hereunder shall result in the obligation on the part of the Lessee promptly to pay also an amount equal to 8% per annum of the overdue rentals or other obligations for the period of time during which they are overdue.
- 17. Notices. Any notice required or permitted to be given by either party hereto to the other shall be deemed to have been given when deposited in the United States certified mails, first-class postage prepaid, addressed as follows:

if to the Lessor, at 28 State Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02106;

if to the Lessee, at Six Penn Center Plaza, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104;

or addressed to either party at such other address as such party shall hereafter furnish to the other party in writing.

18. Severability; Effect and Modification of Lease. Any provisions of this Lease which is prohibited or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, shall be, as to such jurisdiction, ineffective to the extent of such prohibition or unenforceability without invalidating the remaining provisions hereof, and any such prohibition or unenforceability in any jurisdiction shall not invalidate or render unenforceable such provision in any other jurisdiction.

This Lease exclusively and completely states the rights of the Lessor and the Lessee with respect to the Units and supersedes all other agreements, oral or written, with respect to the Units. No variation or modification of this Lease and no waiver of any of its provisions or conditions shall be valid unless in writing and signed by duly authorized officers of the Lessor and the Lessee.

19. Execution in Counterparts. This Lease may be executed in several counterparts, each of which so executed shall be deemed to be an original, and in each case such counterparts together shall constitute but one and the same instrument.

20. <u>Law Governing</u>. This Lease shall be construed in accordance with the laws of Pennsylvania; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the parties shall be entitled to all rights conferred by Section 20c of the Interstate Commerce Act and by the laws of any other jurisdiction in which this Lease is recorded.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Lessor and the Lessee each have caused these presents to be signed in their respective corporate names or by duly authorized officers and their respective corporate seals hereunto to be affixed and duly attested.

NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION,

	by
CORPORATE SEAL	
Attest:	
Secretary.	•••••
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	PENN CENTRAL COMPANY,
	PENN CENTRAL COMPANT,
	by
CORPORATE SEAL	

Attest:

Assistant Secretary

COMMONWEALTH OF	MASSACHUSETTS)
) SS. :
COUNTY OF)

On the day of November, 1968, before me personally appeared , to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, say that he is Vice President of NEW ENGLAND MERCHANTS FINANCIAL CORPORATION, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation and that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA)
SS.:
COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA.)

On this day of November, 1968, before me personally appeared , to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, says that he is an Assistant Vice President of PENN CENTRAL COMPANY, that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said corporation and that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said corporation by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Public

SCHEDULE A

Type	Quantity	Road Numbers (inclusive)	Unit <u>Base Price</u>	Total <u>Base Price</u>	Delivery
4 Motor, 4 Axle 3300 H.P. Model No. U33B	20	2936 to 2955 inclusive	\$253, 256. 70	\$5,065,134	November - December 1968 Schenectady, New York
General Electric	•				

Locomotives